

# Annual Reports

of the

Town Officers

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# ROXBURY

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the year ending JANUARY 31

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# (TOWN WARRANT THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Roxbury in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Roxbury on Tuesday, the 8th day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To chose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
- 3. To hear reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees or officers and pass any action thereto.
- 4. To see if the town will vote to raise town officers salaries or take any action thereon.
- 5. To see if the town will vote to raise money for snow removal on Concord Road.
- 6. To see if town will vote for State Aid as recommended by State Highway Commissioner.
  - 7. To choose a trustee of trust funds for three years.
- 8. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.
- 9. To see what action the town will take in regard to accepting the new road laid out by Keene Water Works department.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-two.

LORENZO W. DAVIS,
GEORGE C. ELLIS,
CHAS. A. N. NYE,
Selectmen of Roxbury.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LORENZO W. DAVIS,
GEORGE C. ELLIS,
CHAS. A. N. NYE,
Selectmen of Roxbury.

# REPORT OF SELECTMEN

We, the undersigned, Selectmen of Roxbury, State of New Hampshire, respectfully submit the following report for the year ending Jan. 31, 1932.

26 polls.

20 horses,	\$1,510	00
20 Cows,	1,115	00
1 bull,	50	00
8 neat stock,	320	00
21 sheep,	84	00
2 goats,	10	00
Fowls,	293	00
Lumber,	1,100	00
	\$4,482	00
Value of land and buildings,	136,205	00
varue of faire and buildings,		
	\$140,687	00
State tax,	\$280	00
County tax,	224	84
Town tax,	400	00
Highways and bridges,	700	00
State aid construction,	214	50
Trunk line maintenance,	400	00
State aid maintenance,	20	00
School,	1,271	70
State snow removal,	75	00
	\$3,586	04

Estimated money collectable,	516	00
Overlay,	\$3,070 77	04 07
Rate \$2.20.	\$3,147	11
TOWN OFFICERS AND SALARIES		
Moderator, Edward Baker. Town clerk, Emmitt E. Hazen,	\$30	00
Selectmen:		
Lorenzo W. Davis,	50	00
George C. Ellis,	50	00
Charles A. N. Nye, chairman,	60	00
Treasurer, Emmett Hazen,		00
Tax collector, Cyrus K. Ellis,		00
Road agent, Burt S. Ellis,		00
Overseer of poor, Lorenzo W. Davis,	2	00
Supervisors:		
Cyrus K. Ellis, chairman,	6	00
Burt S. Ellis,	3	00
Ballot inspector, Franklin Pollard,	$^2$	00
Auditor, Madella N. Hazen,	8	00
Retainer fee, Chester B. Jordan,	30	00
Constable, Clifton Chamberlain,	2	00
Assessors:		
Lorenzo W. Davis,	10	00
George C. Ellis,		00
Charles A. N. Nye,		00
Justice of Peace, Charles A. N. Nye,	5	00
	<del></del>	00

Surveyors of wood and lumber: Cyrus K. Ellis. Charles A. N. Nye. Burt S. Ellis.

Fence viewers:

Charles A. N. Nye. Lorenzo W. Davis. George C. Ellis.

Sexton:

Madella N. Hazen.

Trustees of trust fund:

Madella N. Hazen	Term	expires	1932
Florence A. Davis	Term	expires	1933
Nettie Waldo	Term	expires	1934

#### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Chase Book Store,	\$9 44
Mason Insurance Agency,	$19 \ 50$
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies,	$\frac{2}{50}$
George H. Aldrich Co.,	$15 \ 00$
Sentinel Printing Co.,	$38 \ 75$
Charles Nye, stamps, telephone,	3 00
Emmett Hazen, stamps, telephone,	$10 \ 45$
Albert Stone, auto for selectmen,	4 00
Lorenzo W. Davis, attending town meeting, tax	3 00
George C. Ellis, attending town meeting, Zax	3 00
Charles A. N. Nye, attending town meeting, Lax	3 00

\$111 64

TOWN HIGHWAY ACCOUNT PAID BY	THE SELECTMEN
City of Keene, snow removal,	\$51 00
Town of Marlhoro snow removal	53.00

City of Keene, snow removal,	10	50
Fred W. Davis, storing road machine,	10	00
	\$124	50
Spent by road agent,	1,589	58
	\$1,714	08
ORDERS PAID BY SELECTMEN		
Officers' salaries,	\$378	00
Officers' expenses,	111	64
Amount paid out for state aid maintenance,	222	06
Amount paid out for trunk line maintenance,	1,233	20
Recording deed,	1	85
Fir apparatus,	22	80
Church,	50	63
Schools,	1,271	70
State tax,	280	
County tax,	224	84
Trunk line snow removal,	70	-89
	\$5,581	69

Respectfully submitted, LORENZO W. DAVIS, GEORGE C. ELLIS, CHAS. A. N. NYE,

Selectmen.

# REPORT OF HIGHWAYS

For Year Ending Jan. 31, 1932

## FROM JAN. 1 TO JAN. 30

Burt S. Ellis, labor,			\$6	80
Branch road,	\$2	40		
Middletown road,	4	40		
<del></del>			+ 0	0.0
Totals			\$6	80
FROM NOV. 7 TO NOV. 28				
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$42	40
Burt S. Ellis, labor,			6	30
Freeman Ellis, labor,			18	55
Edward E. Baker, truck and labor,			8	00
W. N. Ellis, labor,		•	3	15
Robert Rixford, labor,			2	45
Charles Peters,			12	60
Nettie Waldo, 10 loads gravel,			1	00
Burt S. Ellis, 5 loads gravel,				50
Totals		_	\$94	45
Pond road,	\$18	35		
Branch road,	36	55		
Kingsbury road,	13	50		
Davis road,	5	05		
Middletown,	21	50		
FROM OCT. 3 TO OCT. 24				
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$89	60
Charles St. Peter, labor,			33	60
Freeman Ellis, labor,			11	90

Burt S. Ellis, labor, Herbert Russell, labor, Robert Rixford, labor, Nils Hansson, shapening tools, Burt S. Ellis, 10 loads of gravel, New England Explosives Corp., caps and	l dynai	nite.	$25 \\ 4 \\ 1 \\ 1$	20 50 20 00 00 00
The Magrand Daptobles Corp., caps and	e aj ma			
			\$184	00
Darkin road,	<b>\$1</b> 3			
Middletown road,		60		
Kingsbury road,		05		
Branch road,		35		
Davis road,		20		
Dawes road,		00		
Dillingham road,	13	50		
FROM SEPT. 5 TO SEPT.	26, 193	1.		
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$56	80
Charles St. Peter, labor,				80
Herbert Russell, labor,			12	60
Burt S. Ellis, labor,			5	60
Middletown road,	\$34	35		
Parker road,	-	35		
Branch road,	10	35		
Pond road,		80		
,			\$99	85
FROM AUG. 15 TO AUG. 2	9, 1931			
Burt S. Ellis, team,	,		\$32	80
Burt S. Ellis, labor,			19	
Edwin Ellis, labor,				25
Charles St. Peter, labor,				10
Branch road.	\$21	35		
Dawes road,		00		
Dillingham,	21			
	\$62	95	\$62	95

# FROM JULY 1 TO AUG. 1, 1931

Burt S. Ellis, team, Burt S. Ellis, labor,	,		=	20 40
Edwin Ellis, labor,			0	<b>7</b> 5
			<b>\$1</b> 3	35
FROM JUNE 13 TO JUN	VE 20			
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$45	90
Ed Baker, truck,			12	00
Burt S. Ellis, labor,			4	05
Ernest Peasley, labor,			14	70
Freeman Ellis, labor,			20	40
Burt S. Ellis, gravel, 10 yds. @10c per yd	,		1	00
Mrs. Ward, gravel, 6 yds. @ 15c per yd.,				90
Dillingham road,	\$19	20		
Middletown road,	38	25		
Branch road,	9	90		
Nelson road,	25	70		
-	\$93	05	\$93	05
For gravel,	·			90
		-	\$94	-95
FROM MAY 9 TO MAY	30		702	
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$68	40
Herbert Russell, labor,			-	40
Ernest Peasley, labor,			26	60
Edwin Ellis, labor,			$^2$	70
Nelson road,	\$14	85		
Davis road,	38	45		
Middletown road,	29	75		
Parker road,	17	55		
Dawes road,	11	25		
Branch road,	9	05		
Freeman Ellis, labor,			2	80
-	\$120	90	\$120	90

## FROM APR. 4 TO APR. 30

	7 N. 30		
Burt S. Ellis, team,		\$162	00
Herbert Russell, labor,		68	00
Ernest Peasley, labor,		38	83
Edwin Ellis, labor,		3	75
Mrs. Waldo, 14 loads gravel @ 15c per	load, Apr. 4,	$^{2}$	10
Burt S. Ellis, 12 loads gravel @ 10c per	load, Apr. 11,	1	20
Deacon road,	\$54 25		
Dillingham,	14 85		
Branch road,	100 10		
Middletown road,	64 75		
Davis road,	13 20		
Dawes road,	5 85		
Pond road,	5 85		
Kingsbury,	<b>16</b> 58		
Totals,	\$275 43	\$275	88
FROM MAR. 14 TO M	AR. 28		
Rurt S. Ellis, team		\$26	10
Burt S. Ellis, team, Freeman A. Ellis, labor		\$26 5	
Freeman A. Ellis, labor,		5	60
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor,		5 1	60 20
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor,		5 1 2	60 20 25
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse,		5 1 2 10	60 20 25 80
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor,		5 1 2 10 2	60 20 25 80 40
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor,		5 1 2 10 2 1	60 20 25 80 40 50
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor,		5 1 2 10 2 1 1	60 20 25 80 40 50 25
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team,	iwes road	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team, L. C. Dawes, men, snow removal on Da	wes road,	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70 00
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team, L. C. Dawes, men, snow removal on Daraymond Nye, labor,	iwes road,	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2 7	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70 00 50
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team, L. C. Dawes, men, snow removal on Daraymond Nye, labor, George Ellis, labor,	awes road,	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2 7	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70 00 50
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team, L. C. Dawes, men, snow removal on Da Raymond Nye, labor, George Ellis, labor, Lawrence Nye, labor,	iwes road,	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2 7	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70 00 50 00 80
Freeman A. Ellis, labor, Rob. Rixford, labor, Edwin B. Ellis, labor, Pereley Ellis, 1 horse, L. W. Davis, labor, George Davis, labor, Walter Davis, labor, L. Page, team, L. C. Dawes, men, snow removal on Daraymond Nye, labor, George Ellis, labor,	wes road,	5 1 2 10 2 1 1 2 7	60 20 25 80 40 50 25 70 00 50

Herbert Russell, labor,			5	00
Earl Russell, labor,			3	60
Mrs. Waldo, gravel, 14 yds. @ 15c per yd.	,		2	10
Burt S. Ellis, team,			\$23	40
Dawes road, snow removal,	\$32	30		
Branch and Davis roads, snow removal,	53	80		
Branch road,	26	00		
Middletown road,	8	10		
Totals,	\$120	20	\$120	20

#### BURT S. ELLIS,

Road Agent.

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

January 30, 1932

Received for motor vehicles, 1931 permits,	\$36 03
Received for motor vehicles, 1932 permits,	41 82
Received for 1931 dog licenses,	8 40
Total receipts, Paid to town treasurer,	\$86,25 \$86,25

George C. Ellis was drawn grand juror and Perley W. Ellis petit juror to attend the September term of superior court.

Edward E. Baker was drawn grand juror and Daniel H. Ellis petit juror to attend the February term of superior court.

Respectfully submitted, EMMETT E. HAZEN,

Town Clerk.

# TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

January 30, 1932

## RECEIPTS

From local taxes:		1
Property taxes, current year,	\$2,878	76
Poll taxes,	46	00
Property and poll taxes previous years,	217	36
From the state:		
Class 'V' highways,	\$1,074	60
Trunk line snow removal,	87	91
Trunk line maintenance,	933	46
Interest and dividend tax,	370	10
Railroad tax,	11	74
Savings Bank tax,	1	83
State aid maintenance,	202	06
Trunk line maintenance, bal. for year ending		
Jan. 31, 1931,	202	78
From local sources except taxes:		
Permits for registration motor vehicles, 1931,	36	03
Permits for registration motor vehicles, 1932,	41	82
Interest collected on taxes,	8	45
For dog licenses,	8	40
	\$8,766	24
EXPENDITURES		0.0
Paid orders No. 643 to 742 inclusive,	\$5,581	
Balance in treasury, January 30, 1932,	3,184	55
	\$8,766	24

#### ASSETS

Due from collector, unpaid taxes fo	r 1931:			
Charles Wilber estate,			\$4	40
T. Clayton White,			13	20
K. E. Mosher and C. G. Putney estate,			33	00
Henry M. Nims,			12	10
Merrill Mason,			30	80
Keene Screen & Ladder Co.,			15	40
Earl J. Russell,			5	50
Burt S. Ellis			14	80
Lorenzo W. Davis,			67	35
Charles Elmer Nye,	\$2	00		
Ernest Peaslee,	2	00		
George C. Ellis,	2	00		
	\$6	00	\$196	 55
Total amount due			\$202	55

Total amount due,

\$202 55

Respectfully submitted,

EMMETT E. HAZEN,

Town Treasurer.

## SEXTON'SREPORT

#### HILLSIDE CEMETERY

Lorenzo W. Davis, 11 hrs. work @ 40c per hr.,	\$4 40
Walter M. Davis, 11 hrs. work @ 25c per hr.,	2 75
George L. Davis, 12 hrs. work @ 25c per hr.,	3 00
G. A. R., flags for soldiers' graves,	\$10 15 \$1 50

## MADELLA NIMS HAZEN,

Sexton.

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ROXBURY

For Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1932

#### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

January 31, 1932.

MADELLA NIMS HAZEN, NELLIE M. WALDO, FLORENCE O. DAVIS,

Audited March, 1932.

Trustees.

For Trust Fund Table see next page.

# **AUDITOR'S REPORT**

This is to certify that the books and accounts of the town treasurer and town clerk have been carefully balanced, verified and found correct.

The tax collector's book verified with the treasurer's and selectmen's books.

The selectmen's accounts, receipts and orders verified and balanced with treasurer's books.

The road agent's accounts balanced with the selectmen's and treasurer's books.

The cemetery trust funds trustees' accounts examined by the town's counsel, Chester B. Jordan, also the sexton's account which shows where and how the income was expended.

> MADELLA NIMS HAZEN, Auditor for Town of Roxbury.

# REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF ROXBURY

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1932

Balance of In- come on hand at end of year	\$115.74 96.93 28.24
Expended Dur-	\$6.65
ing year ing year	\$9.66
Dalance of In- come on hand at vent	\$112.73 91.23 24.60
Rate of Per Cent Interest	41/2% 41/2% 41/2%
lo tanomA laqinirq	\$100
How Invested	Keene Savings Bank Book No. 836 Cheshire County Savings Bank, Book No. 5585 Cheshire County Savings Bank Book, No. 13980
Trust Funds	June 4, 1909 George G. Davis  Apr. 11, 1921 Ellen A. Davis  Cemetery Fund Cemetery Fund Cemetery Fund Cemetery Fund
lo als U	1892 June 4, 1909 Apr. 11, 1921

#### FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1930, and Ending June 30, 1931

#### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Public Laws 1926, Chapter 68:22, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

F. T. JOHNSON,

Superintendent.

MADELLA NIMS HAZEN, LORENZO W. DAVIS, FLORENCE O. DAVIS, School Board.

July 29, 1931.

#### RECEIPTS

State and federal aid:

(a) Equalization fund for elementary schools (from state), \$540 58

Income from local taxation (raised by selectmen):

(a)	F'or	the support of elementary schools,	773	12
(c)	For	the payment of high school and		
		academy tuition,	255	15
(d)	For	the salaries of district officers,	50	00

(g) For the payment of per capita tax, 84 00

(h)	Special appropria	tions	,			35 73		
Tota	al,						\$1,198	00
(a) (b)	From sources other Dog licenses (from Elementary school	n sele	ectmer	ı),	1:	\$17 11 360 00		
Tota	al,				_		\$377	11
	al receipts from al		,	ır, Ju	ly 1,	, 1930,	\$2,115 273	
Gra	nd Total,						\$2,388	73
		$\mathbf{P}I$	AYME	NTS				
		Tota Amour		Gener Expen		Support of High School	Suppor Ele. Sc	
	Administration:							
1.	Salaries of distric	et						
	officers,	\$50	00	\$50	00			
2.	Superintendent's		<b>-</b> 0	~-				
	cess salary,	35	73	35	73			
3.	Truant officers		52		52			
4.	and census, Expenses of admi	n	92		92			
т.	istration,		59	10	59			
	Instruction:							
5.	Principals' and to	each-						
	ers' salaries,		00				. \$950	00
6.	Text books,	33	88				33	88
7.	Scholars' sup-							
	plies,	_	42				2	42
9.	Other expenses of							
	instruction,	4	83				4	83

		Tota Amou		Gener Expen		Suppor High Sc		Suppor Ele. So	
	Operation and n school plant:	nainter	ance	of					
10.	Janitor service,	36	00					36	00
11.	Fuel,	41	00					41	00
12.	Water, light, ja	ıni-							
	tor's suppli	es, 5	10					5	10
13.	Minor repairs a	$\mathbf{nd}$							
	expenses,	25	02					25	02
	Auxiliary agenc	ies and	l						
	special activit	ies:							
14.	Medical inspec-								
	tion,	6	00					6	00
15.	Transportation	of							
	pupils,	478	50					478	50
16.	High school and	d							
	academy tu	i-							
	tion,	281	01			\$281	01		
17.	Elementary sch	ool							
	tuition,	144	00					144	00
	Fixed charges:								
19.	Tax for state w	$_{ m ide}$							
	supervision	(\$2							
	per capita),	42	00	42	00				
	Outlay for const		n						
99	and equipmen		00	4	00				
23.	New equipment	,	00	4					
Tota	al payments for	40.150	00	<b>41.40</b>	0.4	4001	01	φ1 <b>5</b> 0.0	
m ,	all purposes,	\$2,150	60	\$142	84	\$281	01	\$1,726	75
Tota	al cash on hand								
	at end of year	•							
	(June 30,	ൈ	19						
	1931),								
Gra	nd total,	\$2,388	<b>7</b> 3						

## BALANCE SHEET ASSETS JUNE 30, 1931

Cash on hand:

Balance June 30, 1931,

\$238 13

Total assets,

\$238 13

#### LIABILITIES JUNE 30, 1931

Excess of assets over liabilities,

\$238 13

Grand total,

\$238 13

#### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the school board of Roxbury, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

#### EDWARD E. BAKER,

Auditor.

July 30, 1931.

#### SCHOOL BOARD ESTIMATES AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 1931-1932

For support of elementary school, amount of a		
\$5.00 tax on each \$1,000 of equalized valuation,	\$784	97
Per capita tax,	28	00
For high school tuition,	570	00
For salaries of district officers,	40	00

# REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1931

Cash on hand June 30, 1930,	\$273	04
Received from selectmen, appropriations for		
current year,	1,198	00
Received from state treasurer (state aid),	540	58
Received from all other sources,	377	11
		_
Total amount available for fiscal year,	\$2,388	73
Less school orders paid,	2,150	60
Balance on hand, June 30, 1931,	\$238	13

EMMETT E. HAZEN,
District Treasurer.

#### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Roxbury:

I herein submit my ninth annual report as superintendent of schools.

These days of business depression forcibly impress on us conditions that are difficult to meet. However, we can cope successfully with our environment if we adopt the slogan of economy, thrift and efficiency.

Let us remember that renewed interest should be focused at this time upon the need of efforts to encourage and assist the young people to remain in school.

Let us remember the splendid spirit put forth by the teachers of our entire country during this period when financial conditions have caused great hardships. Their attitude has been one of the bright spots in the depression.

Let us not forget that functions of our schools must revolve about the creative interests of the child. In the words of President Hoover, "We approach all problems of childhood with affection. Theirs is the province of joy and good humor. They are the most wholesome part of the human race, the sweetest, for they are fresher from the hands of God."

These beautiful words should give us courage and inspiration to carry on and prepare the growing generation in such a way that it may successfully cope with conditions that await it.

#### HEALTH ACTIVITIES

L. G. Hildreth, M. D., medical examiner, examined 14 pupils in the month of June 1931 with the following results:

	0
Defective vision,	2
Defective teeth,	2
Diseased tonsils,	8

#### PROMOTIONS

The following numbers of promotions per grade to the next grade were made in June:

These promotions were made on the five point basis, viz.: regularity of attendance, term rank, standard tests, judgment of teacher and judgment of superintendent.

Stanford's Achievement Tests were given; one at midyear and one at end of year in June.

The results of tests showed a normal year's growth, the classes well graded and pupils in right grades.

Miss Irene Stevens has taught this school for three years. During this time, Miss Stevens maintained excellent discipline, showed marked efficiency in teaching and obtained good results in drill work.

At the beginning of the present year, Miss Stevens having accepted a position in the Keene schools, Miss Marion Russell, a graduate of Keene Normal School, was assigned to this school.

Miss Russell has gained the cooperation of parents and pupils, has the school well organized, and is maintaining that reputation for efficiency in teaching that gives promise for a successful year.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the school board, teacher, parents and citizens for their cooperation and support.

Respectfully submitted, FREDERICK T. JOHNSON, Superintendent of Schools.

Marlborough, N. H., Feb. 24, 1932.

#### HONOR ROLL

Pupils neither absent nor tardy

#### FIRST PERIOD OF NINE WEEKS

Norman Cota Doris Cota

Walter Davis \*Earl Russell

#### SECOND PERIOD OF NINE WEEKS

Walter Davis Earl Russell Charles Russell Clare Starkey Harold Starkey Alpheus White

Leander White

#### THIRD PERIOD OF NINE WEEKS

Doris Cota Roy Ellis June MacKenzie Earl Russell Charles Russell

Clare Starkey Harold Starkey Phyllis Starkey Roger Starkey Alpheus White

Leander White

#### FOURTH PERIOD OF NINE WEEKS

Norman Cota Doris Cota Walter Davis Roy Ellis June MacKenzie Earl Russell

Charles Russell Harold Starkey Phyllis Starkey Roger Starkey Arlene Starkey Alpheus White

Leander White

<sup>\*</sup>Perfect attendance for year.

# STATISTICS OF SCHOOLS FROM JULY 1, 1930 TO JUNE 30, 1931

Total length of school year in weeks,	36
Whole number of different pupils registered during year	r, 16
Number of non-resident pupils,	10
Number of half-days school was in session,	342
Number of half-days school was closed for holidays, etc.,	18
Average membership in school,	15.34
Average attendance,	14.87
Percent of attendance for Roxbury,	96.93
Percent of attendance for the district,	94.00
Percent of attendance for the state,	95.50
Number of pupils not absent or tardy during year,	1
Number of visits made by school board members,	3
Number of visits made by superintendent,	21
Number of visits made by citizens,	4

#### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the school district of the town of Roxbury qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the eighth day of March, 1932, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
- 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- 3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
  - 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
- 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
- 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
- 8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.

9. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Roxbury this 22nd day of February, 1932.

MADELLA NIMS HAZEN, FLORENCE O. DAVIS, LORENZO W. DAVIS, School Board.

A true copy of Warrant-Attest:

MADELLA NIMS HAZEN, FLORENCE O. DAVIS, LORENZO W. DAVIS, School Board.

#### VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Roxbury, N. H., for the year ending Dec. 31, 1931. None.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Roxbury for the year ending Dec. 31, 1931. None.

Married—June 1, in Roxbury, Roger J. Garfield and Stella M. Nye. Groom resides in Jaffrey and bride in Roxbury. Age of groom, 26; bride, 17. Occupation of groom, farmer; bride, at home. Birthplace of groom, Jaffrey; bride, Roxbury. The groom's parents are: father, Martin P. Garfield, born in Peterboro; mother, Cora L. Farnell, born in Jafrey. The bride's parents are: father, Charles A. N. Nye, born in Roxbury; mother, Lena M. Mason, born in Marlboro. Married by Rev. Matthew Francis of Harrisville.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of marriages, births and deaths is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EMMETT E. HAZEN,

Town Clerk.









